

AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the first paragraph on page 1 with the following amended paragraph:

-- This is a divisional of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/178,194, now U.S. Patent No. 6,309,054, filed October 23, 1998 for "Method of Forming Pillars in a Fully Integrated Thermal Inkjet Printhead," of Kawamura et al., the content of which is incorporated herein by reference and made a part hereof.

Please replace the second paragraph on page 1 with the following amended paragraph:

-- This invention is related to the subject matter disclosed in commonly assigned U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/033,987, now U.S. Patent No. 6,162,589, filed March 3, 1998 for "Direct Imaging Polymer Fluid Jet Orifice," of Chen et al., the content of which is incorporated herein by reference and made a part hereof. --